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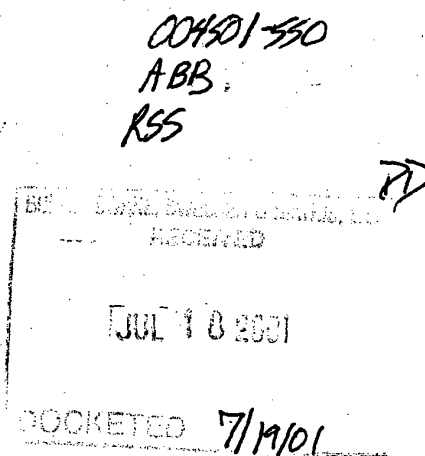
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## Title

Fibre bragg-grating sensor

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TITLE OF INVENTION FIBRE BRAGG-GRATING SENSOR					
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